



Director's Meeting

Wednesday, 2 May 1951

Mr. Jackson reported on the O/PC employee who had been making disparaging remarks about the President. The individual concerned admitted making the remarks but alleged that they were to bait a suspected Communist who he was having for dinner.

Mr. Jackson reported that Col. [] had reported for duty.

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Mr. Jackson reported that General [] had reported for duty and that there is some question as to how closely he would work with Kingman Douglass on USCIB matters. The Director stated that [] should concentrate on the technical aspects of communications and should be restrained in building any large organization.

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Mr. Dulles showed the Director a cable on the start of the broadcast by Radio Free Europe from Munich.

Mr. Dulles suggested [] as a candidate to head up Psychological Warfare Board.

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Mr. Dulles reported that there was danger that [] might re-defect or commit suicide and that he was taking steps to prevent this.

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Mr. Dulles reported that [] had indicated that we have two liaison officers with [] but there is no assurance that his force has crossed the border as yet. The Director indicated that it was essential to plan a year in advance on this operation and to be sure that we are ready to supply him with necessary material.

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Mr. Jackson reported that of all the Divisions in O/PC he was most impressed by the Far Eastern Division headed by [] and by []. The Director commented that perhaps this was true, but that there was still a lack of experience and ability to look ahead. Mr. Jackson said that he was most concerned about SP and did not believe that [] was not the man to head this up.

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DCI's, 2 May 51 (cont.)

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Mr. Dulles said that it was not advisable to disseminate any more information on the [REDACTED]. The Director said that he thought enough had been said already.

There was discussion of the hearings in the MacArthur controversy and it was decided that CIA would not participate with Defense in censoring the hearings.

Mr. Jackson said that he took issue as to the amount of space and elaborateness of the quarters held by [REDACTED] in Quarters "I" when [REDACTED] in the building were so cramped. Mr. Wolf said that he would look into this immediately and see that it was rectified.

[REDACTED]

It was reported that the Department of State had asked us to participate in a conference for legislation to provide additional funds for schooling of the children of U.S. employees overseas. The Director said we could participate as an observer but not as an interested party.

The Director said he saw no necessity for an O/SO representative from Washington to attend the attaches conference. He suggested that General [REDACTED] take one representative from O/CI with him.

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